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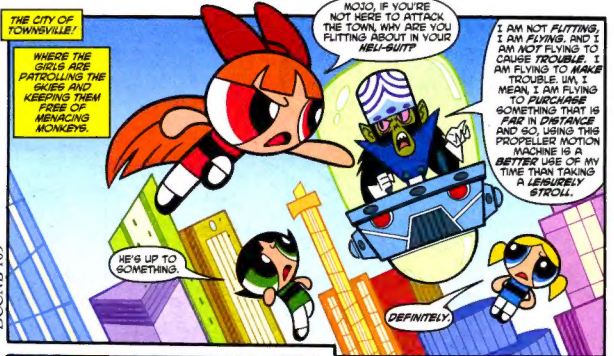
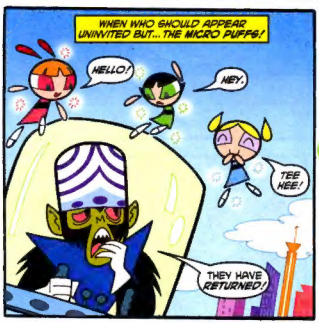
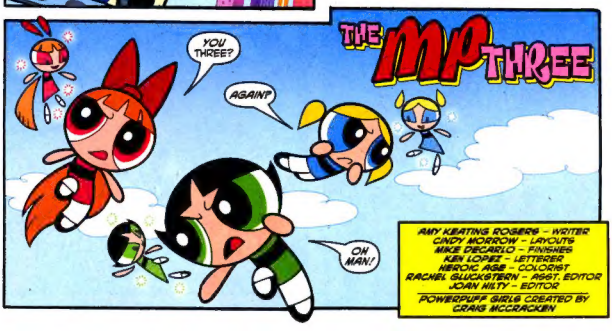

THE CITY OF TOWNSVILLE!
WHERE THE GIRLS ARE PATROLLING THE SKIES AND KEEPING THEM FREE OF MENACING MONKEYS.
MOJO, IF YOU'RE NOT HERE TO ATTACK THE TOWN, WHY ARE YOU FLITTING ABOUT IN YOUR HELI-SUIT?
I AM NOT FLITTING, I AM FLYING. AND I AM NOT FLYING TO CAUSE TROUBLE. I AM FLYING TO MAKE TROUBLE. UH, I MEAN, I AM FLYING TO PURCHASE SOMETHING THAT IS FAR IN DISTANCE AND SO, USING THIS PROPELLER MOTION MACHINE IS A BETTER USE OF MY TIME THAN TAKING A LEISURELY STROLL.
HE'S UP TO SOMETHING.
DEFINITELY.



EXCUSE ME, BUT I MUST GO GET THAT THING THAT I NEED, WHICH IS FAR, WHICH IS WHY I AM FLYING, FOR THE THING I AM CURRENTLY IN THE PROCESS OF MAKING, WHICH IS NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS.



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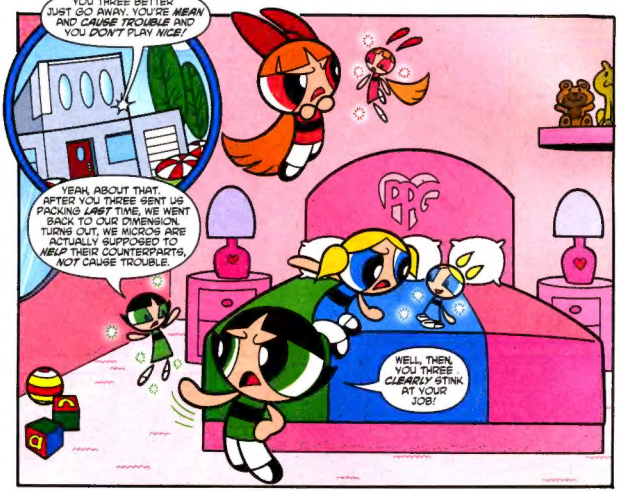
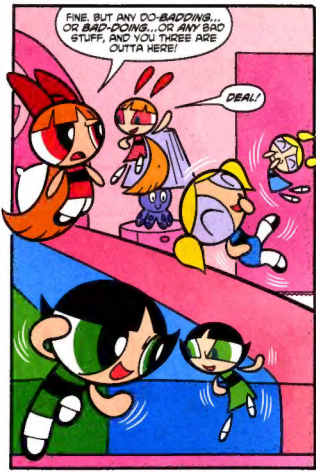

YOU THREE BETTER JUST GO AWAY. YOU'RE MEAN AND CAUSE TROUBLE AND YOU DON'T PLAY NICE!
YEAH, ABOUT THAT. AFTER YOU THREE SENT US PACKING LAST TIME, WE WENT BACK TO OUR DIMENSION. TURNS OUT, WE MICROS ARE ACTUALLY SUPPOSED TO HELP THEIR COUNTERPARTS, NOT CAUSE TROUBLE.
WELL, THEN, YOU THREE CLEARLY STINK AT YOUR JOB!

SERIOUSLY, WE DON'T WANT OR NEED YOUR HELP. SO IF YOU THREE COULD JUST DISAPPEAR AND GO BACK TO YOUR MICRO-DIMENSION, OUR WORLD WOULD BE A BETTER PLACE.
AW, COME ON! THIS TIME, WE ARE ACTUALLY HERE TO DO GOOD. YOU, A SELF-PROCLAIMED DO-GOODER, CAN'T TURN DOWN MORE DO-GOOD HELP. IT WOULD BE BAD IF YOU DID.


FINE. BUT ANY DO-BADDING... OR BAD-DOING... OR ANY BAD STUFF, AND YOU THREE ARE OUTTA HERE!
DEAL!

THE MICRO PUFFS ACTUALLY DO DO-GOOD, HELPING THE GIRLS BATTLE THE BADDIES!
RRARG
whOOsh
whOOsh
whOOsh
AND THEY DO SO BY USING THEIR SPECIAL POWERS!
POW!
SOME THAT THE GIRLS DIDN'T EVEN KNOW ABOUT!
JUST MY SIZE!
ZZZTT
POW!

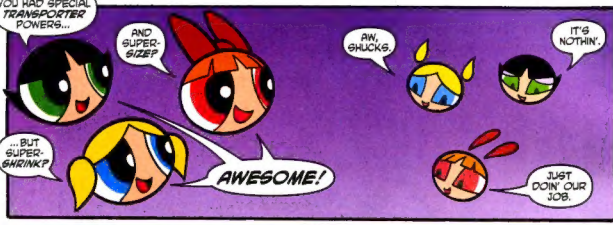
AH, MY OWN MICRO MOJO! YOU SEE, YOU ARE TOO SMALL FOR HER TO FIGHT. YOU WILL BE BUZZING ABOUT HER LIKE A BEE, A VERY ANNOYING BEE THAT CAN PACK A PUNCH! LIKE NO BEE CAN, SINCE BEES CANNOT PUNCH. GO GET HER!

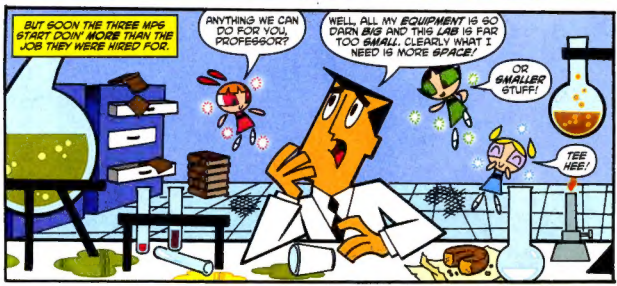
OW! OUCH! OOF! HEY! WHAT IS THAT THING?

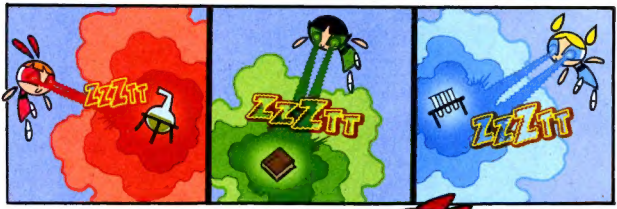
BITE
BITE
THUNK

THAT IS MY MICRO MOJO, WHICH I DESIGNED AFTER BEING INTRODUCED TO YOUR MICRO PUFFS, ANNOYED THAT I WAS NOT PROVIDED WITH AN EQUAL MICRO. BUT NOW I HAVE ONE THAT IS NOT ONLY EQUAL, BUT BETTER, BECAUSE OF MY INGENIOUS DESIGN THAT WAS FINALIZED THAT DAY I WAS FLYING AROUND IN MY HELI-SUIT!

WE KNEW YOU WERE UP TO NO GOOD! GET HIM OFF! GET HIM OFF! OW!
ZZZTT
NOW THAT'S MORE LIKE IT!
POW!
NOOOOO!


WE KNEW YOU HAD SPECIAL TRANSPORTER POWERS...
AND SUPER-SIZE?
...BUT SUPER-SHRINK?
AWESOME!
AW, SHUCKS.
IT'S NOTHIN'.
JUST DOIN' OUR JOB.


BUT SOON THE THREE MPS START DOIN' MORE THAN THE JOB THEY WERE HIRED FOR.
ANYTHING WE CAN DO FOR YOU, PROFESSOR?
WELL, ALL MY EQUIPMENT IS SO DARN BIG AND THIS LAB IS FAR TOO SMALL. CLEARLY WHAT I NEED IS MORE SPACE!
OR SMALLER STUFF!
TEE HEE!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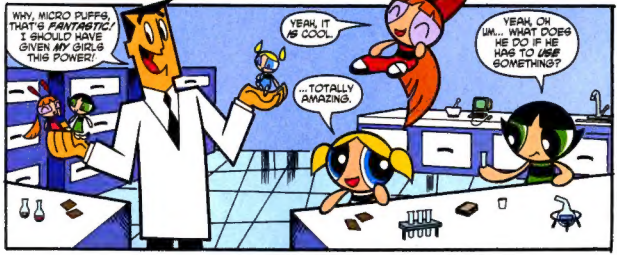
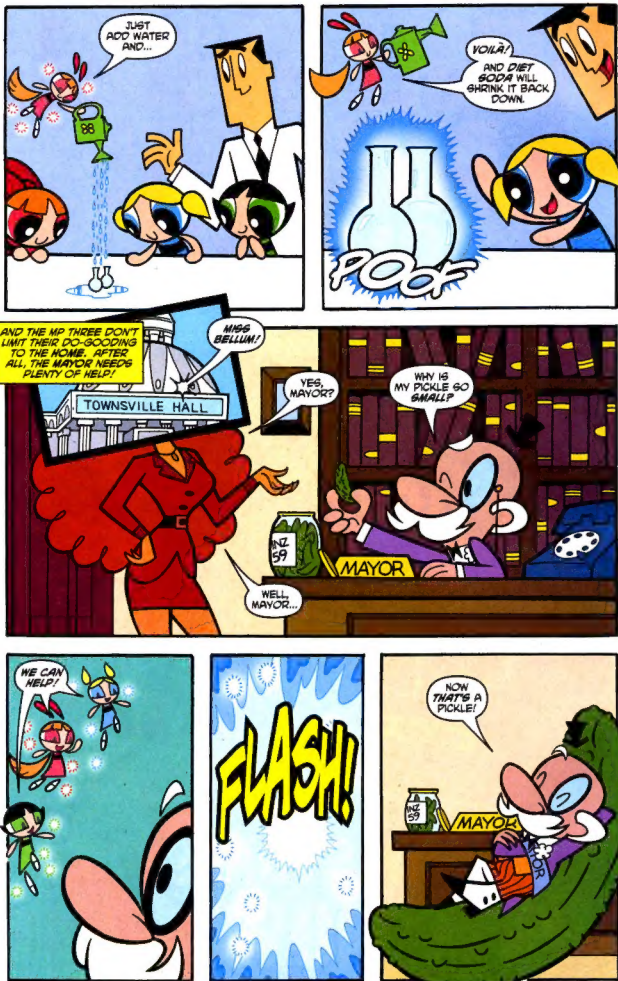
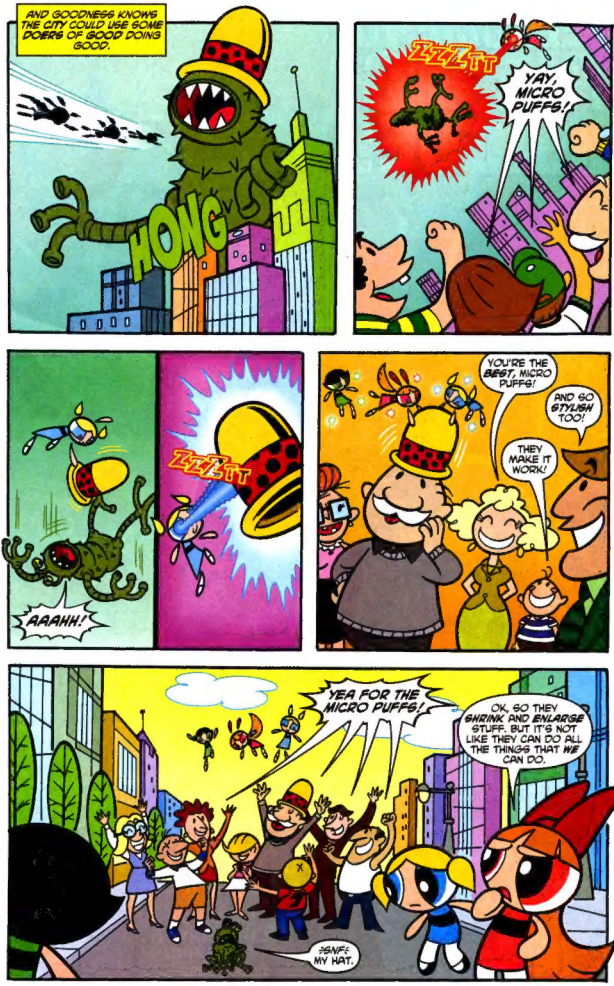

WHY, MICRO PUFFS, THAT'S FANTASTIC! I SHOULD HAVE GIVEN MY GIRLS THIS POWER!
YEAH, IT IS COOL.
...TOTALLY AMAZING.
YEAH, OH UM... WHAT DOES HE DO IF HE HAS TO USE SOMETHING?


JUST ADD WATER AND...
VOILA! AND DIET SODA WILL SHRINK IT BACK DOWN.
POOF
AND THE MP THREE DON'T LIMIT THEIR DO-GOODING TO THE HOME. AFTER ALL, THE MAYOR NEEDS PLENTY OF HELP!
HIGG BELLUM!
TOWNSVILLE HALL
YES, MAYOR?
WHY IS MY PICKLE SO SMALL?
MAYOR
WELL, MAYOR...
WE CAN HELP!
FLASH!
NOW THAT'S A PICKLE!
MAYOR


AND GOODNESS KNOWS THE CITY COULD USE SOME DOERS OF GOOD DOING GOOD.
HONG
ZZZIT
YAY, MICRO PUFFS!
ZZZIT
AAAHH!
YOU'RE THE BEST, MICRO PUFFS!
AND SO STYLISH TOO!
THEY MAKE IT WORK!
YEA FOR THE MICRO PUFFS!
OK, SO THEY SHRINK AND ENLARGE STUFF. BUT IT'S NOT LIKE THEY CAN DO ALL THE THINGS THAT WE CAN DO.
SNIF! MY HAT.

OH REALLY, GIRLS?
ZZZLAP
CHILL
CHIRP, CHIRP, CHIRP!
"WHAT A LOVELY DAY IN THE PARK."
OH, NO! LASER EYES!
SHE'S GOT ICE BREATH!
SHE'S TALKING TO MY SQUIRREL FRIEND!
MICRO PUFFS!
MICRO PUFFS!
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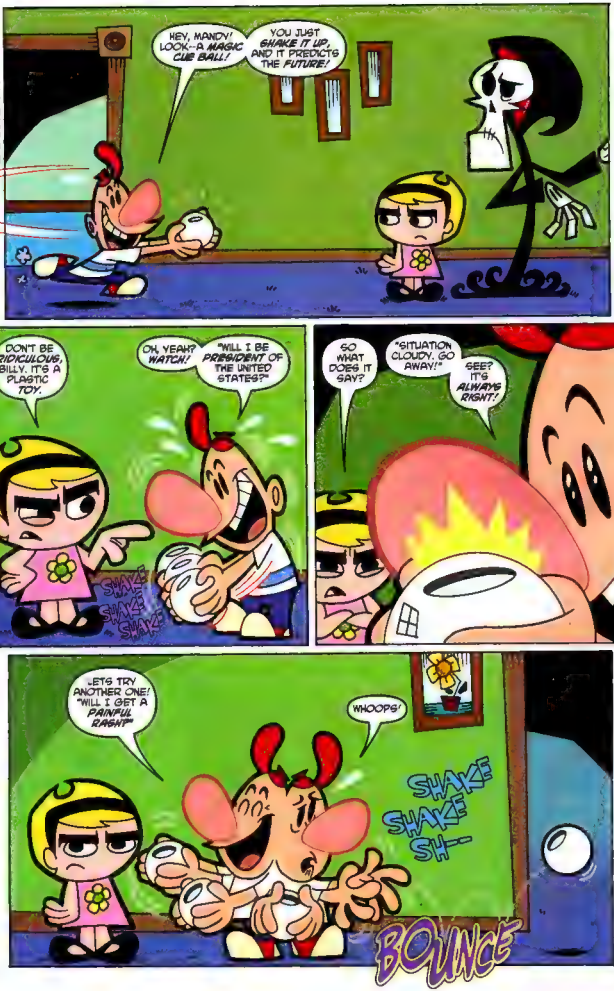
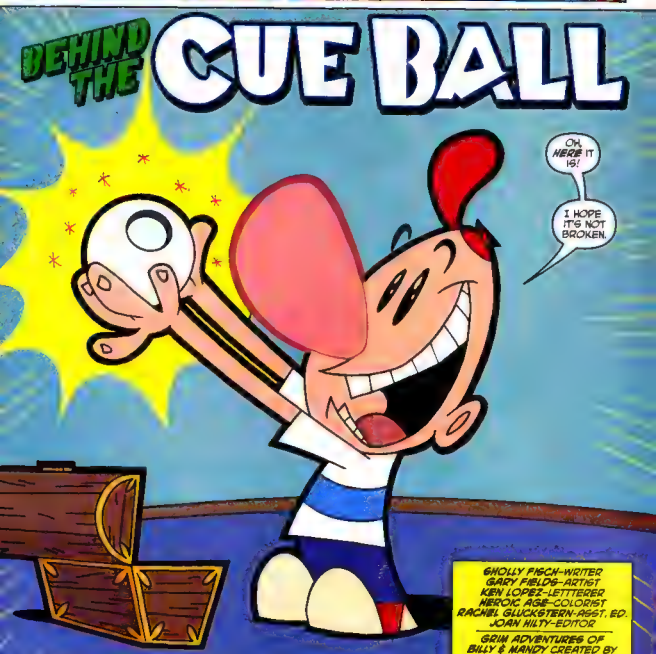
MICRO PUFFS!
SO, THE MICRO PUFFS HAVE BASICALLY TAKEN OUR PLACE BY HAVING ALL OUR ORIGINAL POWERS IN ADDITION TO THEIR COOL NEW POWERS.
DON'T WORRY, GIRLS, THEY'RE JUST THE FLAVOR OF THE MONTH.
WE'VE NEVER SEEN ANYONE SAVE THE DAY LIKE YOU GIRLS!
BUT THEY'RE SO DELICIOUS.

WHAM!
WHACK!
TEE HEE
CRASH!
POW!
TEE HEE
TEE HEE
TEE HEE
ALL RIGHT! SHOW YOURSELVES!
WELL, HELLO, POWERPUFF GIRLS.
WHAT'S GOING ON HERE? I THOUGHT YOU WERE HERE TO BE OUR FRIENDS? TO GET ALONG AND DO GOOD?
YEAH, BUT NOW THAT WE'RE THE HEROES OF TOWNSVILLE, WE HAVE A NEW PLAN. TO BE AND DO BAD! AT LEAST TO YOU THREE!
ZZZT
THANKS FOR MAKING ME BIGGER AND BADDER!
ZZZT
JUST DON'T GLAM INTO YOUR SISTERS!
BE CAREFUL, BUBBLES! BLOSSOM! WATCH YOUR STEP!

BUBBLES! BUTTERCUP! BITE!
OW!
EECH!
STOP!
TEE HEE!
...AND BASH!!
KICK
WITH PLEASURE!
POW
WHUMP
LET US GO!
PLEASE, BLOSSOM!
SET US FREE!
OKAY, I'LL LET YOU GO, BUT YOU NEED TO RETURN ME AND BUBBLES TO NORMAL AND AGREE TO LEAVE ONCE AND FOR ALL!
OUCH!
YES!
OKAY!
WE AGREE!
NOW, BLOSSOM, YOU REALIZE THAT WE WERE JUST PLAYING, DON'T YOU?
WE DON'T LIKE GAMES LIKE THAT. GOODBYE, MICRO PUFFS!
AND SO, ONCE AGAIN, THE DAY IS SAVED! THANKS TO THE MICRO PUFFS NEVER, EVER COMING BACK AGAIN.
RIGHT? YOU WON'T, WILL YOU? I MEAN, YOU THREE PROMISED, RIGHT?


HEY, MANDY! LOOK--A MAGIC CUE BALL!
YOU JUST SHAKE IT UP, AND IT PREDICTS THE FUTURE!
DON'T BE RIDICULOUS, BILLY. IT'S A PLASTIC TOY.
OH, YEAH? WATCH!
"WILL I BE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES?"
SHAKE SHAKE SHAKE
SO WHAT DOES IT SAY?
"SITUATION CLOUDY. GO AWAY!"
SEE? IT'S ALWAYS RIGHT!
LET'S TRY ANOTHER ONE! "WILL I GET A PAINFUL RASH?"
WHOOPS!
SHAKE SHAKE SH--
BOUNCE

BEHIND THE CUE BALL



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GRIM ADVENTURES OF BILLY & MANDY CREATED BY MAXWELL ATOMG

WHOA!
YEAH? WHAT'S DAT THING SAYIN NOW?
"VOLCANOS OF MOLTEN SALSA WILL ERUPT IN YOUR YARD!"
GIVE ME A BREAK. THAT PROVES THIS THING IS JUST A DOPEY...
TOY?
RMMMBBLLLBARROOOMMMM
IS IT HOT?
MM-HMM. MUST BE THE JALAPEÑOS.
SNIFF! YUP. DAT'S SALSA, ALL RIGHT.

I DON'T GET IT! HOW COULD A TOY KNOW THAT WOULD HAPPEN?
I'AH DUNNO, UNLESS..
NO, HE WOULDN'T...
SHAKE
SHAKE
CHECK IT OUT--EXPLODING NOSE HAIRS!
BOOM!
OW!
BILLY--DID DAT BALL GO INSIDE MTRUNK?
Y-YOUR TRUNK? Y-YOU MEAN THE ONE YOU TOLD ME NEVER, EVER TO EVEN THINK ABOUT MAYBE POSSIBLY TOUCHING?
SURE!
WHY DO I'AH EVEN AGK?
DAT CUE BALL'S CHARGED WIT' ALL DE DARK, MYSTIC MIGHT OF DE NETHERWORLD!
UH-HUH. THEN I GUESS THE BOTTOM LINE IS--
--DON'T SHAKE THE BALL!
COOL! YOUR HOME WILL BE OVERRUN BY UNDEAD WEASELS!™
SHAKE
SHAKE
SHAKE
SHAKE

SKREE
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CAN WE KEEP THEM?
SKREE
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SKREE
THAT DOES IT.
SKREE
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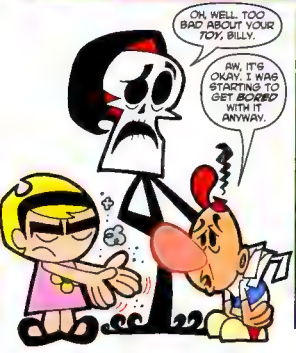
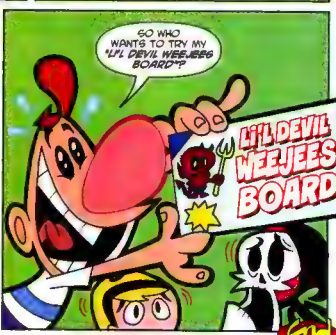
GIVE ME THAT!
NOW, MANDY, YOU BE CAREFUL WIT' DAT...

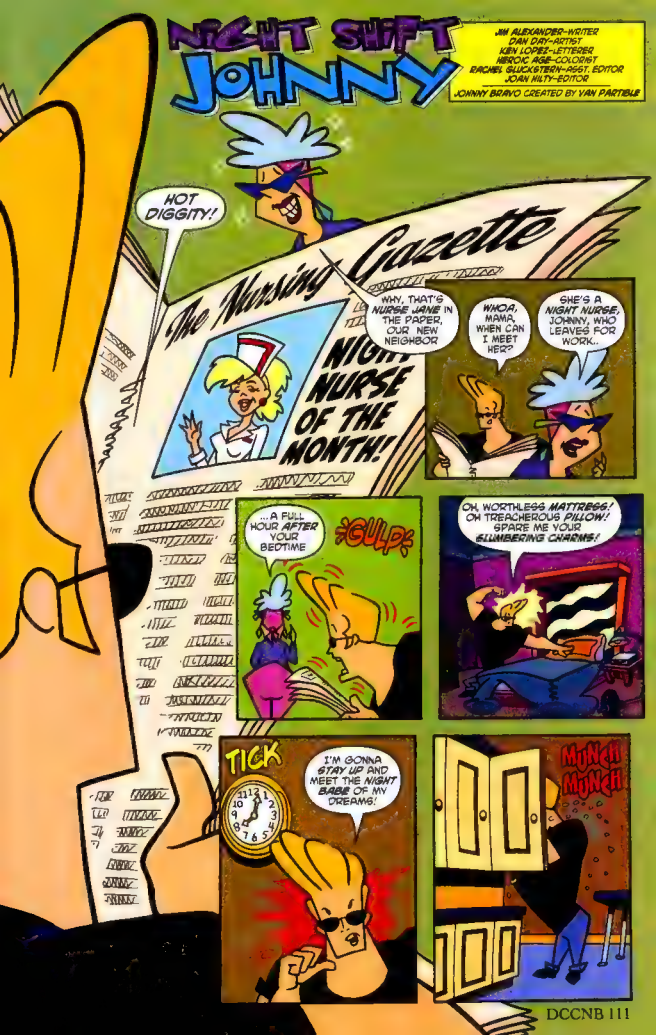
NO PROBLEM. I JUST FIGURE THAT IF THIS THING IS SO GOOD AT PREDICTIONS--
--LET'S SEE IF IT CAN PREDICT WHAT I'M GOING TO DO NEXT.

TREMBLE

I GUESS IT CAN.
KA-BOOM!


OH, WELL. TOO BAD ABOUT YOUR TOY, BILLY.
AW, IT'S OKAY. I WAS STARTING TO GET BORED WITH IT ANYWAY.


SO WHO WANTS TO TRY MY "LIL DEVIL WEEJEES BOARD"?
LIL DEVIL WEEJEES BOARD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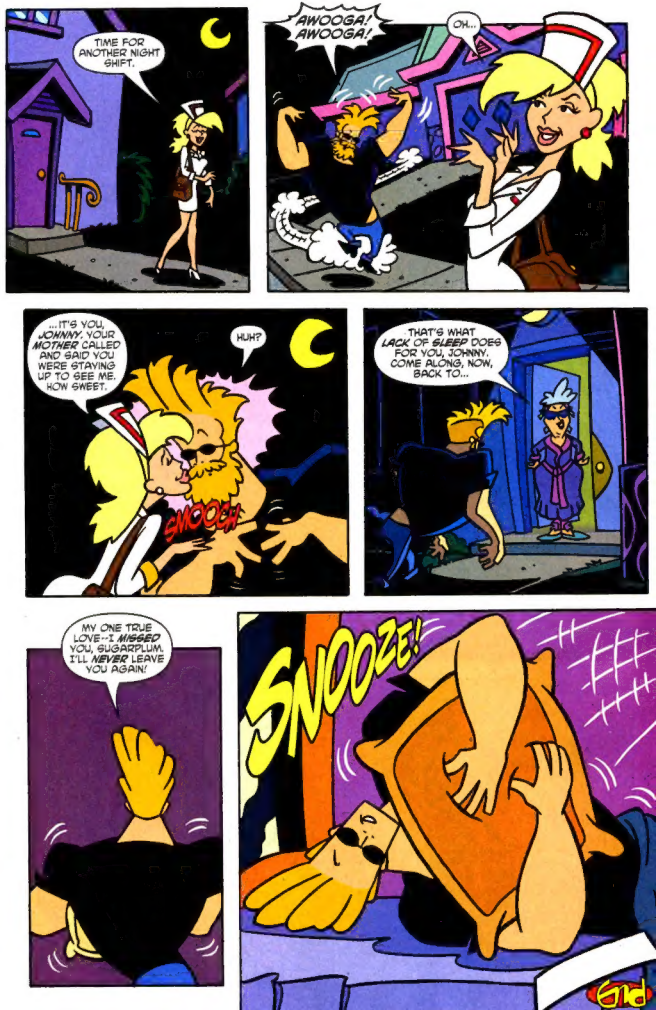
HOT DIGGITY!
The Nursing Gazette
NIGHT NURSE OF THE MONTH!
WHY, THAT'S NURSE JANE IN THE PAPER, OUR NEW NEIGHBOR
WHOA, MAMA, WHEN CAN I MEET HER?
SHE'S A NIGHT NURSE, JOHNNY, WHO LEAVES FOR WORK..
A FULL HOUR AFTER YOUR BEDTIME
GULP
OH, WORTHLESS MATTRESS! OH TREACHEROUS PILLOW! SPARE ME YOUR SLUMBERING CHARMS!
TICK
I'M GONNA STAY UP AND MEET THE NIGHT BABE OF MY DREAMS!
MUNCH MUNCH

FIVE MINUTES LATER.
MAN, I'VE EATEN EVERY LATE-NIGHT SNACK IN THE HOUSE. WHAT'LL I DO NOW?
HEY, I GOTTA STAY AWAKE.
YAWN
COFFEE! HOT AND STEAMING!
OW!
MAMMAAA!!!

EYES HEAVY...MUST KEEP THEM OPEN.
SNAP
OUCH!
NO, MISTER. IT'LL TAKE MORE THAN A FEW DROPS OF WATER SPLASHED ON MY MANLY, HANDSOME FACE TO KEEP ME AWAKE!
WHOOSH!
YOIKS!
MAN, I'M ALL WASHED UP!
DRIP
DRIP
DRIP
DRIP
TOCK


TIME FOR ANOTHER NIGHT SHIFT.
AWOOGA! AWOOGA!
OH...
...IT'S YOU, JOHNNY. YOUR MOTHER CALLED AND SAID YOU WERE STAYING UP TO SEE ME. HOW SWEET.
HUH?
SMOOCH
THAT'S WHAT LACK OF SLEEP DOES FOR YOU, JOHNNY. COME ALONG. NOW, BACK TO...
MY ONE TRUE LOVE--I MISSED YOU, SUGARPLUM. I'LL NEVER LEAVE YOU AGAIN!
SNOOZE!
End

Send your letters today!

JOHNNY DC SAYS: LET THE MAIL BEGIN!

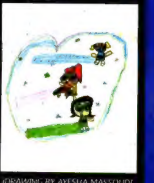
[DRAWING BY HELEN MANN, AGE 5]

Dear Johnny DC,

I go to CARTOON NETWORK and watch POWERPUFF GIRLS. And they rock.

Ayesha Massoud, age 6
Monticello, New York

They do rock, Ayesha, and Puffy AmiYumi PLAYS rock. We must have a rockin' comic!
— Johnny DC



[DRAWING BY AYESHA MASSOUD]

Dear Johnny DC,

Why does Ami have pink hair and Yumi have blue hair?

Isabella Jannsohn, age 7
Fairview Park, Ohio

Well, just look at your own drawing, Isabella! Don't they look cool that way? They dye their hair. I guess Ami thinks pink looks bubbly and Yumi thinks blue looks tough!
— Johnny DC

[DRAWING BY ISABELLA JANNSOHN]

Dear Johnny DC,

I love the POWERPUFF GIRLS. I'm like their #1 fan. I have all comic books from #1 to #70! My favorite is Bubbles. My favorite villain is Mojo Jojo. I love his voice. It is very funny!

Ashley Schofield, age 8
Stittsville, Ontario

That's very cool that you kept so many of our comic books. I'm blushing! I hope you keep reading the Powerpuff Girls in CARTOON NETWORK BLOCK PARTY! CNBP #19 was sort of like Powerpuff Girls #71 and CNBP #20 was sort of like...well, you get the idea!
— Johnny DC

["TEENAGE BUBBLES" BY ASHLEY SCHOFIELD]

Dear Editor:

Sad to hear that POWERPUFF GIRLS is going to be canceled, although when new episodes haven't been done in some time I suppose the crayon scribblings are on the wall. BLOCK PARTY may be picking them up, but only in "abbreviated" stones where they might not be at their best and funniest. POWERPUFF GIRLS #69 again showed that full-length stories are usually the best ones. Garcia Fuentes' art seemed much more detailed than any art I've seen for some time in PPG, so it looks like somebody is determined that the book go out with a little class.

There was the beautiful slapstick of the falling cookie signs – expertly timed for laughs. And Buttercup's saying, "Now I'M the leader!" Aw, c'mon, the green kid definitely needs a "time out." That was rude!

Sienna Kramer drew a rather advanced drawing of the Girls for age 7. Keep your eye on her.

"No, you cannot cancel me! How can I, Mojo Jojo, conquer the world without an audience? There is no fun in this lack of fun! With no audience I will become bored and a bore is always boring and I shall inflict my boringness on you!!"

Charles D. Brown
Brentwood, New York

Please tell Mojo that's he's not being canceled, Charles. He's just going to have to share pages with Grim, Dexter, and Johnny Bravo. It will be good for him to learn to play with others.

Abbreviated stories can be short and sweet and pack a punch. You wrote a letter yourself last year where you complimented the three short stories in POWERPUFF GIRLS #52 (you thought I wasn't paying attention)!
— Johnny DC

[DRAWING BY VANESSA GONZALES FROM TEXAS]

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DC IN DEMAND!

IT'S SUMMER: TIME FOR HOT DOGS, HOT DOGS, AND HOT COMICS!

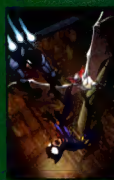
CARTOON NETWORK ACTION PACK #3
Coop can't resist souping up any machine, even his lawnmower! Is it too much motor for Megas to handle?

SCOOBY-DOO #110
Lance Pureheart, "Monster Hunter," has come to town! It's up to Mystery, Inc. to find out who the monster really is!

JUSTICE LEAGUE UNLIMITED #23
The Royal Flush Gang shuffles into a bank and decks security. Then Superman, Batman and company join the game!

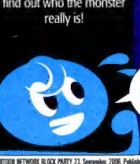
LOONEY TUNES #140
Bugs and Daffy enjoy a good performance now and then, but they don't enjoy being the performance themselves!

CARTOON NETWORK BLOCK PARTY #23
Watch out, Powerpuff Girls! Moving to the Block Party wasn't enough to avoid the Micro Puffs! Plus, Billy and Mandy fight zombie weasels!



THE BATMAN STRIKES! #23
It's bad enough Man-Bat is running riot through the skies – it's worse when Batgirl gets roped to the flying monster!

TEEN TITANS GO! #33
It's the Teen Titans – in a baseball game of sudden death!



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